

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Rolf Hartung  
Serial No. : 10/030,532  
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For : Handling System  
Examiner : James W Kennan  
Group Art Unit 3652

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicant files this amendment with an accompanying request for continued examination and the appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e). Applicants believe that no additional fee is due in connection with the filing of this paper. If any additional fee is due, or overpayment made, with regard to this paper, the Transmittal and Fee Transmittal authorizes the Director to charge any such fee, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4377. The case is under appeal, and thus Applicant requests reopening of prosecution. Amendments to the claims begin on page 2. Remarks begin on page 5.